Kellogg Moves: FAQ

Why is the Kellogg Library moving?

The Kellogg Library is getting a new Learning Commons space on the second floor of the Collaborative Health Education Building (CHEB) and a renovated space on the main floor of the Tupper Building.

When are you moving? Where are you moving to?

December 2015: The Kellogg Health Sciences Library in Tupper Building closes for the move

January 2016:
- Kellogg Library moves to Chapter House (5743 University Ave) for an interim period while the main floor of the Tupper is renovated
- Kellogg Library Learning Commons opens on the second floor of the Collaborative Health Education Building (CHEB)

September 2016: Kellogg Library moves back to the Tupper building, and will be located on the first floor. The Kellogg will then have two distinct sites: The Kellogg Library (main floor Tupper Building) and the Kellogg Library Learning Commons (2nd floor CHEB).

Where will the best places to study be in the new spaces?

There will be many productive study spaces (Individual, small group and bookable group study rooms) in the Kellogg Library Learning Commons - 2nd floor CHEB. (Seating for 300+)

In Chapter House (our interim location) there will be a small number of study spaces where the print collection and some services will be located.
Will there be a quiet study room in the new space?

Yes, there will be a specially designated quiet study room in the Kellogg Library Learning Commons in the CHEB.

Can I still book a group study room?

Yes, booking group study rooms will still be an option in the Kellogg Library Learning Commons and there will also be ‘group drop in’ collaborative spaces called ‘study booths’.

Will reference and research help be available during and after the moves?

Yes, there will be staff available to answer reference and research questions during all phases of our moves, at both locations.

Will printers and photocopiers be available?

Yes, the new Kellogg Library Learning Commons will have a printing/photocopy room located next to the Service Desk with black and white, colour and 3D printers. Staff will be there to assist you in the same capacity as now. There will also be B&W printing in Chapter House.

What about tech help?

More technical help will be provided on site in the new Kellogg Library Learning Commons. This will complement the central Helpdesk services from http://www.dal.ca/dept/its/helpdesk.html

Where will the Reserve Collection be?

Many reserve readings will be converted into electronic form so that they are accessible anywhere. For those materials that cannot be made accessible electronically a print reserve will most likely be held in the Kellogg Library Learning Commons until the Kellogg Library moves back to the Tupper Building.

Where can I put money on my DalCard?

The new Kellogg Library Learning Commons will have DalCard facilities at the Service Desk. Staff will be there to assist you in the same capacity as now.

Will the library be open during exams in December 2015?

Yes. We will begin to move after exams are finished in December.
What will the opening hours of the new spaces be?
We plan to be open for the same hours in the new spaces as we currently are in the Kellogg Library now http://libraries.dal.ca/locations_services/library_hours.html

Where will my classes be if the library is in Chapter House?
New classrooms will be opening up in the Collaborative Health Education Building (CHEB) and many of the classes that are currently scheduled in Chapter House will be rehoused in CHEB

Will there be study space at Chapter House?
Yes a small amount. Most of the study space will be on the 2nd floor of the CHEB in the new Kellogg Library Learning Commons.

What is in the rest of the CHEB Building?
Classrooms, skills labs, learning commons, a simulation centre and social spaces. It will be connected to the Life Sciences Research Institute via an atrium space and connected to the Tupper Link by pedway. http://www.dal.ca/dept/facilities/campus-development/projects/interprofessional-health-building.html

Who can I forward comments and concerns about the move to?
Forward your comments and concerns to the Kellogg Library Administration Office (Carol Pottie carol.pottie@dal.ca)